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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF :
KATSUAKI MIYAWAKI, ET AL. : EXAMINER:
SERIAL NO: NEW APPLICATION :
FILED: HERewith : GROUP ART UNIT:
FOR: TANDEM IMAGE FORMING :
DEVICE AND IMAGE FORMING
APPARATUS INCLUDING THE SAME

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.